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The debating league of Oregon high schools has this term been increased from eight to ten districts. The Moro school is included in the Upper Columbia district, comprising The Dalles, Prineville, Moro, Madras and Wasco. A total of 56 schools have registered for participation in the debates.

The road built by the state from Wasco to the Maryhill ferry is practically an unused thorofare which could be made of considerable benefit to the traveling public if a short stretch of half a mile be built to connect it with the Biggs depot. Biggs is the only station in Sherman county that is open the entire 24 hours of each day and where accurate train information could be had.

Closing Days of the Fair.

The annual Sherman county fair came to an end Saturday night with an open air carnival, a tent and opera house attractions. The four days of the fair were exceptionally agreeable, with no wind or dust to mar the occasion. The speed program was more complete than on previous years and passed off with a snap and vim. Besides the usual speed and amusement features, Munter of Seattle made daily flights with his special built biplane. DeCaprino's band from Portland furnished the music at the fair grounds and gave street concerts daily. At the conclusion of Munter's flight Saturday it was announced from the judges' stand that this was his last exhibition flight, as he joins the United States army aviation school near Seattle as special instructor. The exhibits of agricultural, horticulture, cookery and fancy work was about the average, but the stock exhibit was not as good as on former years, mainly because of the late harvest, exhibitors had not the time to prepare for the fair.

Shooting Stars Promised.

Two separate displays of shooting stars will be visible throughout Oregon November 15 and 24, according to E. H. McAllister, professor of astronomy and mechanics in the State university. The display due on November 15 may be seen in the early morning hours; that of November 24 is due in the early evening. The earth at these times will be cutting through the orbit of the swarm of meteors from which the stars come.

Display of the aurora borealis will be visible in Oregon next winter, for the first time in 11 years, Mr. McAllister says. Northern lights are dim in this latitude of the west, except when the sun spots have reached their maximum number, which occurs only once in 11 years. A connection between the sun spots and the aurora borealis is believed by many scientists to exist.

Take From One to Give to Another.

Commenting on the Full Rental Land Value and Loan Measure, which is nothing but single tax for the man with property and free money for the man who has nothing, the Hillsboro Independent says that it is promoted by the same interests which at each election have attempted to thrust single tax upon the state. The proposal has always been overwhelmingly beaten, but at the succeeding election has reappeared cunningly disguised. It is in the present bill, and it will be interesting to compare the names in the argument for and against the measure, when it is found that those in favor are what might be called theorists and dreamers while the arguments against are by practical men of affairs.

The bill appears to have been drawn on a basis of what its advocates believe it will accomplish. They have little but belief to offer, while those with practical experience show that it will have disastrous effects. Boiled down, the law would take from the man who has and give to him who not. It makes no difference if the man who has has acquired it by frugality and industry and he who has not is merely paying the penalty of his lack of effort. The bill is not popular in Sherman county, where people have found that industry will do what this law purports to accomplish, and extended argument is unnecessary,

Vote 307—No.

Dorcas Society Successful Exhibitor.

At the fair last week, in the needlework division, the Dorcas society received premiums amounting to $8.75, after deducting entry charges, on the work of its members donated to the society. All being first premiums.

Awards were made on a quilt by Mrs. Jas. Woods, on piecing; crochet yoke and hand embroidered towel, by Mrs. A. J. Adams; apron, machine sewing, by Mrs. F. E. Fagan; apron, superior workmanship, by Mrs. Laura Ireland; display of three fancy aprons by Mrs. J. C. McKean, Mrs. J. C. Freeman and Mrs. Laura Ireland.

The mile and a half of road on the Columbia River highway between the east end of Multnomah county and Cascade locks, which has been the only important barrier against all-year road travel, between eastern and western Oregon is now paved. The new work now makes a hard-surfaced highway from Portland to within a short distance of Cascade Locks. The mile and a half just paved has been impassable in the past on almost the slightest rain because of the high bluffs and the thick foliage at that place, which kept out the sun.

Nick Sinnott Addresses Voters.

N. J. Sinnott, congressman from Oregon from this district, opened the republican campaign in Sherman county Friday night with a speech given by special arrangment with the Sherman county branch of the National Hughes Alliance at the Moro opera house. A large audience greeted Mr. Sinnott, coming from all parts of the county to attend the Sherman county annual fair and stay over to listen to the address.

Mr. Sinnott had the close attention of his audience for well into two hours and then they did not want him to stop, but the hall had been rented for a dance and had to be vacated. The address dwelt mainly with a statistical resume of the effects of the Underwood tariff before the European war and where our large trade balance was coming from at the present time. Also the last democratic platform and this year's were compared, as well as President Wilson's promises kept and unkept and his utterances in his speech of acceptance as compared with the record of the democratic party in power the last few years.

Before beginning, Mr. Sinnott spoke of his efforts in behalf of securing recognition and relief for those Sherman county settlers dispossessed of their land holdings by the confirmation of title to the Eastern Oregon Land Co. He said that he was of the opinion that all who were entitled to relief had not secured it and some who had been partially recompensated were entitled to more. He mentioned the hardships of the early pioneer farmers of Sherman county and concluded by saying that he was going to endeavor to see that the government recognized the justice of other claims in this matter, but he wished it understood that he did not want any to consider his words as a promise of further relief, although he would do all he could to include those left out of the first bill into a second one, when their claims could be honestly considered right and just.

Notes From Kent.

Viola Bennett.

Mr. Gates and wife, accompanied by Mrs. Louis Schadewitz, went to Goldendale, Washington, Monday morning, returning late in the evening.

Prof. and Mrs. Dunton attended the local fair held here Oct. 7th.

Two ladies from Shaniko and Mr. Hill of the Moro Experiment Station acted as judges at the local fair.

We think the local fairs stir up enthusiasm and will help make the county fair more of a success each year.

As usual, a large crowd from Kent attended the county fair at Moro Friday, Oct. 13th. Also a goodly number attended on the other fair days.

Rev. Royston, Methodist minister from Grass Valley, preached in Kent both morning and evening last Sunday.

The new school building is rapidly nearing completion.

Mr. Burgdorf, architect from Albany, met the school board Monday and inspected the new school building.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Altho provided with a complete list of the winners at the school fair, space will not permit its publication. Among those winning first place we note that Merritt Wattles won on chickens; Vera Gillmor, turkeys; Harry Howell, squash; Marvin Howell, pumpkin; Mildred Boardman, carrots; Glenna Dellinger, potatoes; Louis Shadewitz, sweet corn and onions; Josie Amick, pop corn; Margaret O'Sullivan, jelly; Margaret Gates, bread and needlework.

Others winning first in needlework were: Ruth Adams, Martha Wilson, Glenna Dellinger, Thelma Dellinger, Jennie Hogue, Wilma Boardman, Lola Young. In culinary were: Viola Bennett, Mabel Leonard, Florence Boardman, Martha Wilson, Adelia Gates. In mechanics were: Edwin Morrow, Louis Shadewitz, Roy Justeson, Harry Justeson, Richard Bennett.

Over 98 per cent of the trees planted by the Forest Service this spring in Tillamook county on the Siuslaw national forest, are still living. This has been the most successful planting operation in the forests of the Northwest.

Law Results in New Strike Troubles.

Reports from various sections of the country indicate that the Adamson Wage Law, which has been mendaciously termed "eight-hour law," is already bringing about additional labor troubles. Railroad men who were not included in the wage increase are being met with a refusal on the part of the railroads to grant an increase in wages on the ground that the added expense involved by the Adamson law makes an increase in wages to the great majority and more poorly paid class of railroad employes impossible. To other classes besides the farmer is coming home the true import of the Adamson law and the manner of its enactment. The electorate is learning that the measure does not test high in human welfare ingredients, but that it does test big in political chicanery.

Rev. Clarence True Wilson, general secretary of the Board of Temperance of the M. E. church declares that a movement is under consideration to demand of congress, next winter, a law prohibiting the use of the mails for the purpose of soliciting orders for liquors and for the distribution of the advertising of the liquor houses. If such a law should be added to the postal regulations, it would most effectively stop the movement of all liquors to any part of the country, wet or dry, the same as it has outlawed the old-time lottery schemes.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman.

William N. Froebe as guardian of the estate of Kathleen McDonald, Joseph Ralph McDonald, William Byron McDonald and Patrick McDonald, minors, plaintiff,
vs.
O. N. Ruggles as administrator of the estate of Phillip M. Ruggles, deceased;
O. N. Ruggles and Alice Ruggles, his wife;
E. S. Ruggles and Cassie Ruggles, his wife;
W. A. Ruggles and Ola Ruggles, his wife;
Lucy Ruggles, unmarried;
Lois Olds and W. R. Olds, her husband;
Lucy S. Ruggles, a widow;
Eva Landry and J. N. Landry, her husband;
Sara Ruggles, unmarried;
Florence Frey, a widow;
Mable Justice and Thomas Justice, her husband;
Charles Frey, unmarried;
Daisy Farra and Samuel Farra, her husband;
Elton Frey, unmarried;
Feryl Frey, unmarried;
defendants.

To defendants, Daisy Farra and Samuel Farra, her husband:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court and cause and answer the amended complaint of plaintiff filed herein on or before the 21st day of October, 1916, that being the day fixed by order of court for you to appear and answer, and more than six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons; and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his amended complaint, to-wit: For judgment against the defendant O. N. Ruggles, as administrator of the Estate of Phillip M. Ruggles, deceased, and Lucy S. Ruggles, for the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000.00), together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 7th day of November, 1909, and for four hundred dollars ($400.00) attorney's fees and costs of disbursements herein;

For a decree foreclosing that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Phillip M. Ruggles and Lucy S. Ruggles, his wife, to C. K. Cochran as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of P. W. McDonald, deceased, on the 8th day of November, 1907, and duly assigned by said administrator to the plaintiff herein, and covering the following described real property located in the counties of Sherman and Gilliam, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lots two (2), five (5) and six (6) in section thirty-one (31) and lot eleven (11) in section thirty (30) all in township 1 south of range 19 east of the Willamette Meridian, which said mortgage is more fully described and set forth in the amended complaint of plaintiff on file herein, in the manner prescribed by law, and that the said above described property in said mortgage set forth be sold by the sheriff of Sherman county, Oregon, and the proceeds thereof be applied to the payment of the sums of money found to be due the plaintiff herein; and

For a decree foreclosing that certain chattle mortgage made, executed and delivered by Phillip M. Ruggles to C. K. Cochran as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of P. W. McDonald, deceased, and dated the 7th day of November, 1907, duly assigned to the plaintiff herein, and covering certain personal property located in and upon the real property herein described, which said chattle mortgage was recorded on the 8th day of November, 1907, in book 7 at page 601 of chattle mortgage Records of Sherman county, Oregon, which said chattle mortgage and the personal property covered thereby are more particularly described in plaintiff's amended complaint herein.

That the plaintiff's said real property mortgage be decreed a first lien upon the real property and that the plaintiff's said chattel mortgage be decreed to be a first lien upon the said personal property, and that each and all of the said defendants be forever barred and foreclosed from all right, title and interest in and to the same and every part and parcel thereof, save and except the statutory right of redemption, and for such other and further relief as may to the court seem just and equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof once a week for six consecutive weeks in the Sherman County Observer, by order of the Hon. D. R. Parker, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 2d day of September, 1916.

Robert J. Upton,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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PROF. R. C. FRENCH, FORMER HEAD OF WESTON NORMAL, IS BOOSTER FOR PENDLETON AS NORMAL LOCATION.

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Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County.

Margaret M. Gillett, Plaintiff,
vs.
Edward L. Gillett, Defendant.

To Edward L. Gillett, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon:

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you if served within this county; or if served within any other county of this state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; or if served upon you personally within any other state then within six weeks from the date of the service thereof upon you, and if served upon you by publication thereof, then within six weeks from the date of first publication thereof; six weeks being the time prescribed in the order for publication in which you are required to appear and answer; and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit: for a decree dissolving and annulling the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, giving to plaintiff the care and custody of their minor children, and for such other and further relief as to the court shall seem meet and proper.

This summons is served upon defandant by publication thereof in the Sherman County Observer, a newspaper of general circulation within said county of Sherman and state of Oregon, in accordance with an order heretofore duly made and entered in said case by Hon. Fred Krusow, County Judge of Sherman county, on the 16th day of October, 1916.

The date of the first publication of this summons is October 20, 1916.

Grover J. Duffey,
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